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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kari NIEMELÄ

Art Unit: 2618

Application No.: 10/620,764

Examiner: Nguyen, Lee

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For: DATA TRANSMISSION METHOD, SYSTEM AND NETWORK ELEMENT

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 21, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 21, 2006, having been duly extended from July 21, 2006, until September 21, 2006, by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Amendments to the claims are submitted beginning on page 2.

Remarks are submitted beginning on page 13.

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